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Please note the following amendment to the Examiner's Answer:

The Grounds of Rejection will now read as follows:

(9) Grounds of Rejection

The following ground(s) of rejection are applicable to the appealed claims:

Claims 1-32 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as obvious over Herz (US 6,029,195).

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